

TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL

FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION

1. TRANSMITTAL NUMBER:

1 2 3 4 5

2. STATE:

New York

3. PROGRAM IDENTIFICATION: TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT (MEDICAID)

TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

4. PROPOSED EFFECTIVE DATE

November 5, 1998

5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):

☐ NEW STATE PLAN

☐ AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN

☒ AMENDMENT

COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)

6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:

42 CFR Part 447

7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT:

a. FFY 1998-1999 \$ 765,215

b. FFY 1999-2000 \$ 834,780

8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:

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9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDED PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):

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10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:

Inpatient Hospital Rates

11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One):

☐ GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMMENT

☐ OTHER, AS SPECIFIED:

☒ COMMENTS OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE ENCLOSED

☐ NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL

12. SIGNATURE OF STATE AGENCY OFFICIAL:

13. TYPED NAME:

Dennis P. Whalen

14. TITLE:

Executive Deputy Commissioner

15. DATE SUBMITTED:

December 30, 1998

16. RETURN TO:

New York State Department of Health
Corning Tower
Empire State Plaza
Albany, New York 12237

17. DATE RECEIVED:

18. SIGNATURE:

20. TYPED NAME:

Sue Kelly

23. REMARKS:

Effective July 1, 1996, enhancements to the Medicaid reimbursement rates of three hospitals in the western part of New York State will be provided to enable them to study and analyze several issues pertaining to the care of patients who have multiple impairments or patterns of behavior that are manageable but potentially disruptive to the facility. Hospitals have been constrained in formulating discharge planning approaches which will promote appropriate placement of these individuals. The three hospitals, Strong Memorial Hospital (Rochester), Park Ridge Hospital (Rochester), and Soldiers & Sailors Hospital (Penn Yan), will conduct a demonstration in conjunction with their respective affiliated nursing facilities to address several patient care related issues, including but not limited to the following:

- a) identifying the characteristics and unique care needs of the multiply impaired patients;
- b) assessing the reasons why they are difficult to place from hospitals to community based settings including nursing facilities;
- c) evaluating and determining "best treatment" regimens;
- d) developing a training program to assist other hospitals in more effectively placing these patients in community based settings.

Effective November 5, 1998, enhancements to the Medicaid reimbursement rates of one New York City hospital will be provided to enable it to study and analyze several issues pertaining to the care of patients with Huntington's disease. Hospitals have been constrained in formulating discharge planning approaches which will promote appropriate placement of these individuals. The hospital will conduct a demonstration to address several patient care related issues including:

- a) insuring the appropriate placement and use of resources for patients with Huntington's disease;
- b) training staff to manage behavior or promote effective care of the patients with Huntington's disease;
- c) arranging the environment in ways that produce positive outcomes for patients with Huntington's disease; and
- d) maintaining and promoting autonomy and decision making on the part of the patients with Huntington's disease.

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